

# The 99% Need a Raise.

Raising the minimum wage is an important step toward an economy that works for all of us, not just the richest 1%. Putting more money in the pockets of ordinary Americans will boost our economy by decreasing income inequality, help small businesses grow, and create jobs.



- **The minimum wage can't support our families.** \$7.65 an hour, the Arizona minimum wage, amounts to only \$15,912 a year. That's over 30% below the federal poverty line for a family of four.
- **We get \$7.65. They get 725%.** The federal minimum wage hasn't kept up with inflation, but CEO pay has risen 725% over the last 30 years and 80% of all real income growth has gone to the richest 1% of Americans.
- **A fair chance for a better life.** If the federal minimum wage had kept up with inflation over the past 40 years, it would be \$10.55.

**People who work for a living should be able to support their families and live off their wages.**

**Join Us on the National Day of Action!**

We're asking people to sign a petition telling Congress to raise the minimum wage and index it to inflation.

**Tuesday, July 24 from 3:30 – 5:30 pm**  
**Ronstadt Transit Center, 215 E. Congress**

To RSVP, call Jessica Lambertson at 520-241-2505.

**Together, we can end the growing gap  
between the rich and the rest of us.**